

## SECTION 1

### GENERAL REGULATIONS

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#### Rule 100

The Association is a member of the ISU and as such is the organisation controlling figure skating in Australia.

#### Rule 101

1. The Association is the **only organisation allowed to negotiate with the ISU or with other ISU members on any matter relating to figure skating in Australia or which involves Australian skaters or officials.**
2. These regulations are **binding on every State association and on its members and affiliated clubs** in matters of figure skating in Australia.
3. In any international matter, the Regulations of the ISU current at the time shall apply.
4. In any conflict or inconsistency between these regulations and rules of any State association or affiliated club, these regulations shall prevail.
5. In any matter not provided for in these regulations, the Association shall decide the matter having regard to the spirit of the Regulations of the ISU.
6. The decision of the Council on any matter arising under these regulations shall be final.

#### Rule 102

##### ELIGIBILITY

1. An **eligible** person is one who meets the **eligibility** criteria of the ISU.
2. The effect of the breach of any of the **eligibility** rules is loss of or restriction of **eligibility** as defined in the current ISU Regulations.
3. Any matter relating to **eligibility** shall be considered and determined by the Council having regard to the spirit of the Regulations of the ISU.
4. In accordance with ISU 102, skaters wishing to take part in ISA activities should not be placed at a disadvantage by reason of the necessity to prepare for and participate in ISA events. Accordingly, **skaters may receive payments** for activities including appearances, endorsements, exhibitions and show performances, and remain eligible provided such skaters provide ISA with full information of such payments and benefits and comply with all other provisions of ISU Rule 102.
5. Remunerated coaches may compete in **eligible** events but **may not be a Referee, Assistant Referee or Judge in ISA events or events conducted by State associations.** Remunerated coaches must have attained Level 1 Coaching Accreditation - Theory (General Principles and Sport Specifics) and have insurance cover applicable for coaching purposes.

#### Rule 103

##### REINSTATEMENT AS AN **ELIGIBLE** PERSON

1. A request for reinstatement shall be made on the form provided, through the State association of the person concerned, and shall be forwarded to the Secretary. A request for reinstatement shall be submitted only once for the same person.

2. The State association shall certify the facts stated by the applicant as correct, so far as can be verified, before submitting the request to the Secretary.
3. The Council may reinstate an applicant subject to any conditions considered appropriate.

**Rules 104 - 199 (Reserved)**